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Alexandria, Virginia 22313

## RESPONSE

Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed January 18, 2005, which response is being made on or before February 18, 2005.

Please amend the claims as follows: